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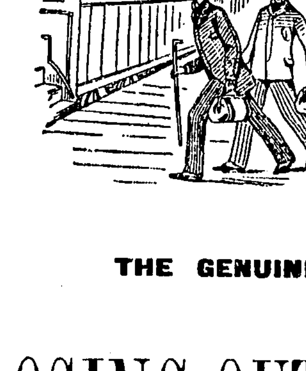

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THE MESSAGE.

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The Great Questions of the Day Discussed and Many Measures Recommended. Loans to Nicaragua Canal Favored.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.

At noon to-day President Harrison sent in his annual message, which would fill a dozen columns if printed in full. Below is given the most salient points of the document.

To the Senate and House of Representatives: The reports of the heads of the several executive departments required by law to be submitted to me, and the report of the secretary of the treasury and the attorney general furnish a comprehensive review of the administrative work of the last fiscal year relating to internal affairs. It would be of great advantage if these reports could have an attentive perusal by every member of congress and by all who take an interest in public affairs. Such a perusal could not fail to excite a higher appreciation of the vast labor and conscientious efforts which are given to the conduct of our civil administration. The reports will, I believe, show that every question has been approached, considered and decided from the standpoint of public duty and upon considerations affecting the public interests alone. Again I invite to every branch the attention and scrutiny of congress.

The work of the state department during the last year has been characterized by an unusual large number of important negotiations and by diplomatic results of a notable and a highly beneficial character. Among these are

Reciprocal Trade Arrangements,

which have been concluded in the exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Tariff law with the republic of Brazil, with Spain for its West Indian possessions and with San Domingo. Like negotiations with other countries have been much advanced, and, it is hoped, that before the close of the year further definitive trade arrangements of great value will be concluded.

The president briefly reviews the Bering sea controversy, tells of the success attending the negotiations, and asserts that the restrictive measures have proved as effective as could be expected. He says:

In my last annual message I stated that the bases of arbitration proposed by her majesty's government was not acceptable. I am glad now to be able to announce that terms satisfactory to this government have been agreed upon, and that agreement as to the arbitrators is all that is necessary to the completion of the convention. In view of the advanced position this government has taken on the subject of international arbitration, this renewed expression of our adherence to this method for the settlement of disputes, such as have arisen on the Bering sea, will, I doubt not, meet with the concurrence of congress. Provision should be made for a joint demarkation of the frontier line between Canada and the United States.

The president announces that the intercession of this country to settle the boundary dispute between England and Venezuela has not proved successful.

He calls attention to the fact that the retaliation law and the establishment of meat inspection has resulted in the admission of American meats into Germany, Denmark, Italy, Austria and France.

The Lynching at New Orleans

in March last of eleven men of Italian nativity by a mob of citizens was a most deplorable and discreditable incident. It did not, however, have its origin in any general animosity to the Italian people, nor in any disrespect to the government of Italy, with which our relations were of the most friendly character. The fury of the mob was directed against these men as the supposed participants in or accessories to the murder of a city officer. I do not allude to this as mitigating in any degree this offense against law and humanity, but only as affecting the international questions which grew out of it.

It was represented by the Italian minister that several of those whose lives had been taken by the mob were Italian subjects, and a demand was made for the punishment of the participants and an indemnity to the families of those who were killed. It is to be regretted that the manner in which these claims were presented was not such as to promote a calm discussion of the questions involved, but this may well be attributed to the excitement and indignation which the crime naturally evoked. The views of this government as to its obligations to foreigners domiciled here were fully stated in the correspondence as well as its purpose to make an investigation of the affair with a view to determine whether there were present any circumstances that would, under such rules of duty as we had indicated, create an obligation upon the United States. The temporary absence of a minister plenopotentiary at this capital has retarded the further correspondence, but it is not doubted that a friendly conclusion is attainable.

Some suggestions growing out of this unhappy incident are worthy of the attention of congress. It would, I believe, be entirely competent for congress to make offenses against the treaty rights of foreigners domiciled in the United States cognizable in the Federal courts. This has not, however, been done, and the Federal officers and courts have no power in such cases to intervene, either for the protection of a foreign citizen or for the punishment of his slayers. It seems to me, to follow in this form of law, that the officers of the state charged with the police and judicial powers in such cases must, in the consideration of international questions growing out of such incidents, be regarded in such sense as Federal agents as to make this government answerable for their acts in cases where it would be answerable if the United States had used its constitutional power to define and punish crimes against treaty rights.

The Civil War in Chile,

which began in January last, was continued, but fortunately with infrequent and not important armed collisions until Aug. 8, when the Congressional forces landed near Valparaiso, and after a bloody engagement captured that city. President Balmaceda at once recognized that his cause was lost, and a provisional government was speedily established by the victorious party. Our minister was promptly directed to recognize and put himself in communication with this government so soon as it should have established a de facto character, which was done. During the pendency of this civil contest frequent indirect appeals were made to this government to extend belligerent right to the insurgents and to give audience to their representatives. This was declined, and that policy was pursued throughout which this government, when wrenched by civil war, so strenuously insisted upon the part of European nations.

The Itata, an armed vessel commanded by a naval officer of the insurgent fleet, manned by its sailors and with soldiers on board, was seized under process of the United States court at San Diego, Cal., for a violation of our neutrality laws. While in the custody of an officer of the court, the vessel was forcibly wrested from his control and put to sea. It would have been inconsistent with the dignity and self respect of this government not to have insisted that the Itata should be returned to San Diego, to abide the judgment of the court. This was so clear to the junta of the congressional party established at Iquique that before the arrival of the Itata at that port, the secretary of foreign relations of the provisional government addressed Rear Admiral Brown, commanding the United States naval forces, a communication from which the following is an extract: "The provisional government had learned by the cablegrams of the Associated Press that the transport Itata detained in San Diego by order of the United States, for taking on board munitions of war, and in possession of the marshal left the port carrying on board this official, who was landed at a point on the coast, and then continued her voyage. If this news is correct, the government would deplore the conduct of the Itata, and as an evidence that it is not disposed to support or agree to the infraction of the laws of the United States, the undersigned takes advantage of the personal relations you have been good enough to maintain since your arrival in this port, to declare to you that as soon as she is within reach of our orders, we will put the Itata, with the arms and munitions she took in at San Diego, at the disposition of the United States."

A trial in the district court of the United States for the southern district of California has recently resulted in a decision holding, among other things, that, inasmuch as the congressional party had not been recognized as belligerant, the acts done in its interest could not be a violation of our neutrality laws. From this judgment the United States has appealed, not that the condemnation of the vessel is a matter of importance, but that we may know what the present state of our law is. If this construction of the statute be correct there is obvious necessity for revision and amendment.

During the progress of the war in Chile this government tendered its good offices to bring about a peaceful adjustment, and it was at one time hoped that a good result might be reached, but in this we were disappointed. The instructions to our naval officers and to our minister at Santiago from the first to the last of this struggle enjoined upon them the most impartial treatment and absolute non-interference. I am satisfied that these instructions were observed and that our representatives were always watchful to use their influence impartially in the interest of humanity, and on more than one occasion did so effectively. We could not forget, however, that this government was in diplomatic relations with the then established government of Chile, and it is now in such relations with the successor of that government. I am quite sure that President Montt, who has, under circumstances of promises for the peace of Chile, been installed as president of that republic, will not desire that in the unfortunate event of any revolt against his authority, the policy of this government should be other than which we have recently observed.

No Official Complaint

of the conduct of our minister or our naval officers during the struggle has been presented to this government, and it is a matter of regret that so many of our own people should have given ear to unofficial charges and complaints that manifestly had their origin in rival interests and in a wish to pervert the relations of the United States with Chile. The collapse of the government of Balmaceda brought about a condition which is unfortunately too familiar in the history of the Central and South American states. With the overthrow of the Balmaceda government he and many of his counsellors and officers became fugitives for their lives and appealed to the commanding officers of the foreign naval vessels in the harbor of Valparaiso and to the resident foreign ministers at Santiago for an asylum. The asylum was freely given, according to my information, by the naval vessels of several foreign powers and by several of the legations at Santiago. The American minister, as well as his colleagues, acting under the impulse of humanity, extended asylum to political refugees, whose lives were in peril. I have not been willing to direct the surrender of such of these persons as are still in the American legation without suitable understandings.

It is believed that the government of Chile is not in a position, in view of the precedents in which it has been connected, to broadly deny the right of asylum, and the correspondence has not thus far presented any such denial. The treatment of our minister, for a time, was such as to call for a decided protest, and it was very gratifying to observe that unfriendly measures, which were undoubtedly the result of the prevailing excitement, were at once rescinded or suitably relaxed.

On the 16th of October an event occurred in Valparaiso, so serious and tragic in its circumstances and results as to very justly excite the indignation of our people and to call for prompt and decided action on the part of this government. A considerable number of sailors of the United States steamship Baltimore, then in the harbor of Valparaiso, being upon shore leave and unarmed, were assaulted by armed men nearly simultaneously in different localities in the city. One petty officer was killed outright, and seven or eight seamen were seriously wounded, one of whom has since died. So savage and brutal was the assault that several of our sailors received more than two and as many as eight stab wounds. An investigation was promptly made of the affair by a board of officers of the Baltimore and their report shows that these assaults were unprovoked; that our men were conducting themselves in a peaceable and orderly manner, and that some of the police of the city took part in the assault and used their weapons with fatal effect, while a few others with some well disposed citizens endeavored to protect our men. Thirty-six of our sailors were arrested and some of them while being taken to prison were cruelly beaten and maltreated. The fact that they were all discharged, no criminal charge being lodged against any one of them, shows very clearly that they were innocent of a breach of the peace.

So far as I have yet been able to learn no other explanation of this bloody work has been suggested than that it had its origin in hostility to these men as sailors of the United States, wearing the uniform of their government, and not in any individual act or personal animosity.

The attention of the Chilean government was at once called to this affair and a statement of the facts obtained by the investigation we had conducted was submitted, accompanied by a request to be advised of other or qualifying facts in the possession of the Chilean government that might believe this affair of the appearance of an insult to this government. The Chilean government was at once advised that if any such qualifying facts did not exist this government would confidently expect full and prompt reparation. It is to be regretted that the reply of the secretary for foreign affairs of the provisional government was couched in an offensive tone. To this no response has been made.

This government is now awaiting the result of an investigation which has been conducted by the criminal court at Valparaiso. It is reported unofficially that the investigation is about completed and thus the result will soon be communicated to this government, together with some adequate and satisfactory response by which the attention of Chile was called to this incident. If these just expectations should be disappointed, or further needless delay intervene, I will by a special message bring this matter to the attention of congress for such action as may be necessary.

The Chinese Question.

The late outbreak against foreigners in various parts of the Chinese government has been a cause of deep concern, in view of the numerous establishments of our citizens in the interior of that country. This government can do no less than insist upon a continuance of the protective and punitory measures which the Chinese government has heretofore applied. No effort will be omitted to protect our citizens peaceably sojourning in China, but recent unofficial information indicates that what was at first regarded as an outbreak of mob violence against foreigners has assumed the form of insurrection against public order. The Chinese government has declined to receive Mr. Blair as the minister of the United States on the ground that he was a participant as a senator in the enactment of the existing legislation against the introduction of Chinese laborers he has become unfriendly and objectionable to China, and I have felt constrained to point out to the Chinese government the untenableness of this position, which seems to rest as much upon the acceptability of our legislation as on that of the person chosen, and which, it admits, would practically bar the selection of any representative as long as the existing laws remain in force.

You will be called upon to consider the expediency of making special provision by law for the temporary admission of some Chinese artisans and laborers in connection with the exhibit of Chinese industries at the approaching Columbian exposition. I regard as desirable the Chinese exhibit be facilitated in every proper way.

The president calls attention to the fact that Spain will hold a Columbian exhibition beginning Sept. 12, and he recommends that this country take proper means to make a suitable display there.

The work of the intercontinental railway is progressing well. Three surveying parties are in the field and nearly one thousand miles of the route surveyed, including the difficult part in Ecuador and Colombia.

An appropriation to determine the boundary between the United States and Mexico is recommended.

The Death of King Kalakaua

in the United States afforded occasion to testify our friendship for Hawaii by conveying the king's body to his own land in an available vessel, with all due honors. The government of his successor, Queen Liliuokalani, is seeking to promote closer commercial relations with the United States. Surveys for the much needed sub-marine cable from our Pacific coast to Honolulu are in progress.

The Annual Report

of the Maritime Canal company of Nicaragua shows that much costly and necessary preparatory work has been done during the year in the construction of shops, railroad tracks and harbor piers and breakwaters, and that the work of canal construction has made some progress. I deem it to be a matter of the highest concern to the United States that this canal connecting the waters of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and giving us a short water communication between our ports upon these two great seas, should be speedily constructed, and at the smallest practicable limit of cost. The gain in freights to the people and the direct saving to the government of the United States in the use of naval vessels would pay the cost of this work within a short series of years.

The senator from Alabama (Mr. Morgan), in his argument on this subject before the senate at the last session did not overestimate the importance of this work when he said that "the canal is the most important subject now connected with the commercial growth and progress of the United States."

If This Work Is to Be Promoted

by the usual financial methods and without the aid of the government, the expenditure, in its interest-bearing securities and stocks, will probably be twice the actual cost. This will necessitate higher tolls and constitute a heavy and altogether needless burden upon our commerce and that of the world. Every dollar of the bonds and the stock of the company should represent a dollar expended in the legitimate and economical prosecution of the work. This is only possible by giving to the bonds the guaranty of the United States government. Such a guaranty would secure the ready sale at par of a 3 per cent bond, from time to time, as the money was needed. I do not doubt that, built upon business methods, the canal would, when fully inaugurated, earn its fixed charges and operating expenses. But if its bonds are to be marketed at heavy discounts and every bond sold is to be accompanied by a gift of stock, as has come to be expected by investors in such enterprises, the traffic will be seriously burdened to pay interest and dividends. I am quite willing to recommend government promotion in the prosecution of the work if other means be not offered for securing its completion. It is of such transcendant interest that the government should, in my opinion, secure it by direct appropriations from its treasury. A guaranty of the bonds of the canal company to an amount necessary to the completing of the canal could, I think, be so given as not to involve any serious risk of ultimate loss. The things to be carefully guarded are: The completion of the work within the limits of the guaranty; the subrogation of the United States to the rights of the first mortgage bondholders for any amounts it may have to pay in the meantime; a control of the stock of the company as a security against mismanagement and loss. I most sincerely hope that neither party nor sectional lines will be drawn upon this great American project, so full of interest to the people of all states, and so influential in its effects on the prestige and spirit of our common country.

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has been secured with Belgium, France, Great Britain and the British possessions and Switzerland and negotiations are now being successfully carried on with Germany.

With regard to the

Success of the New Tariff

the message says: A brief examination of the statistics of the treasury, and a general glance at the state of business throughout the country, will, I think, satisfy any impartial inquirer that its results have disappointed the evil prophesies of its opponents, and in a large measure realized the hopeful predictions of its friends. Rarely if ever before in the history of the country has there been a time when the proceeds of one day's labor or the product of one farmed crop could purchase such a large amount of things that enter into the living of the masses of the people. I believe that a full test will develop the fact that the tariff act of the Fifty-first congress is very favorable in its average effect upon the prices of articles entering into common use.

During the twelve months from Oct. 1, 1890, to Sept. 30, 1891, the total value of our foreign commerce (imports and exports combined) was $1,747,806,406, which was the largest of any year in the history of the United States. The largest in any previous year was in 1870, when our commerce amounted to $1,647,139,093, and the last year exceeds this enormous aggregate by over $100,000,000. It is interesting and to some will be surprising to know that during the year ending Sept. 30, 1891, our imports of merchandise amounted to $824,715,270, which was an increase of over $11,000,000 over the value of the imports of the corresponding months of the previous year, when the imports of merchandise were large, in anticipation of the tariff legislation then pending. The average annual value of the imports of merchandise for the ten years from 1881 to 1890 was $692,186,522, and during the year ending Sept. 30, 1891, this annual average was exceeded by $132,528,466.

Statistics are then given to show that while the value of the free imports has greatly increased, the value of dutiable imports has decreased, and that of exports has become much greater. Everything shows the country to be in a flourishing commercial condition.

The report of the

Secretary of the Treasury

shows that the total receipts to the government from all sources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1891, were $458,544,233.03, while the expenditures for the same period were $421,304,470.46, leaving a surplus of $37,239,762.67.

The receipts of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1892, actual and estimated are $433,700,000, and the expenditures, $400,000,000; for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1893, the estimated receipts are $455,336,300, and expenditures $430,452,093.

Under the Law of July 14, 1890,

the Secretary of the Treasury has purchased since August 13th, during the fiscal year, 48,393,113 ounces of silver bullion at an average cost of $1.045 per ounce. The highest price paid during the year was $1.2025, and the lowest 0.9636. In exchange for this silver bullion there have been issued $5,057,496 of the treasury notes authorized by the act. The lowest price of silver reached during the fiscal year was 0.9636 on April 22, 1891, but on November 1st, the market price was only 0.96, which would give to the silver dollar a bullion value of 74½ cents.

Considerable space is devoted to the silver coinage question, the president asserting that the present law, by increasing the amount of currency in use, has benefitted the country at large, but he predicts that a free coinage law would result disastrously. He recommends that the present law be given further trial before any radical change be made. He does not believe that the nations of Europe are yet ready to co-operate in the matter of silver coinage.

The Report of the Secretary of War

shows that the percentage of desertions has greatly decreased. Good progress has been made in the securing of sites for harbor defenses and in the manufacture of guns.

The enlisted Indians have proved to be good soldiers.

The judges of the court of private land claims provided for by the act of March 3, 1891, have been appointed and the court organized.

By the enforcement by the treasury department of the law prohibiting the

Coming of Chinese

to the United States has been effective as to such as seek to land from vessels entering our ports. The result has been to divert the travel to vessels entering the ports of British Columbia, whence into the United States at obscure points along the Dominion boundary entrance is easy. Very considerable numbers of Chinese laborers have, during the past year, entered the United States from Canada and Mexico. The officers of the treasury department and of the department of justice have used every means at their command to intercept this immigration, but the impossibility of perfectly guarding our extended frontiers is apparent.

The Dominion government collects a head tax of $50 from every Chinaman entering Canada, and thus derives a considerable revenue from those who only use its ports to reach a position of advantage to evade our exclusion laws. There seems to be satisfactory evidence that the business of passing Chinamen through Canada to the United States is organized and quietly done. Justice has construed the laws to require the return of any Chinaman found to be unlawfully in this country to China as the country from which he came, notwithstanding the fact that he came by way of Canada; but several of the district courts have, in cases brought before them, overruled this view of the law, and decided that such persons must be returned to Canada. This construction robs the laws of all effectiveness, if the decrees could be executed, for the men returned can the next day re-cross our borders. But the only appropriation made is for sending them back to China, and the Canadian officials refuse to allow them to re-enter Canada without the payment of the $50 per head tax. I recommended such legislation as will remedy these defects in the laws in my previous message.

The president warmly and

Unequivocally Commends

the administration of the pension bureau. About 35,000 claims will be adjudicated during the coming fiscal year. There will be a call for a deficiency appropriation this year.

The Irrigation Issue.

The president approves of the governmental control of irrigation affairs.

The president advises to continue the great fight against polygamy.

The president complimented the civil service commission. An increased appropriation is recommended.

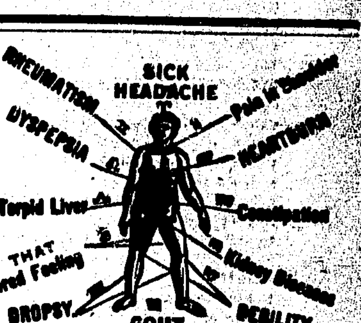
I have twice before called the attention of congress to the necessity of legislation for protection of the lives of railroad employes, but nothing has yet been done. During the year ending June 30, 1890, 369 brakemen were killed and 7,841 maimed while engaged in coupling cars. The total number of railroad employes killed during the year was 2,451, and the number injured 22,390. This is a cruel and, largely, a needless sacrifice.

In view of the scandalous methods used in the election of United States senators, the president suggests a constitutional amendment that will take the power from the legislature and give the people a voice in the selection.

In conclusion, the president says:

I have been greatly rejoiced to notice many evidences of the increased unification of our people and of a revived national spirit. The vista that now opens to us is wide and more glorious than ever before. Gratification and amazement struggle for supremacy as we contemplate the population, wealth and moral strength of our country. A trust, momentous in its influence upon our people and upon the world for a brief time, is committed to us, and we must not be faithless to its condition—defense of the free and the equal influence of the people in the choice of public officers and in the control of public affairs. BENJAMIN F. HARRISON.

Executive Mansion, December 9, 1891.



For these complaints take Simmons Liver Regulator. It keeps the stomach clear and prevents any of the above poisons from getting in the system, or, if there already it will drive them out, no matter how strongly rooted or long-standing, and you will again have good health and be happy.

Have you a pain in the side, back or under the shoulder-blade? It is not rheumatism but dyspepsia. Take Simmons Liver Regulator.

Does your heart throb violently after unusual exertion or excitement? It is not heart disease, but indigestion.

Take Simmons Liver Regulator.

"As a matter of conceived duty to humanity, I wish to bear my testimony to the unfailing virtues of Simmons Liver Regulator. If people could only know what a splendid medicine it is, there would be many a physician without a patient and many an interminable doctor's bill saved. I consider it infallible in malarial infection. I had, for many years, been a perfect physical wreck from a combination of complaints, all the outgrowth of malaria in my system, and, even under the skillful hands of Dr. J. P. Jones, of this city, I had despaired of ever being a well woman again. Simmons Liver Regulator was recommended to me. I tried it; it helped me, and it is the only thing that ever did me any good. I persevered in its use and I am now in perfect health. I know your medicine cured me and I always keep it as a reliable 'stand by' in my family."—MRS. MARY RAY Camden, Ala.

CRIMES AND CRIMINALS.

A Record of Murders, Suicides and Other Crimes.

Edward Albertson, the defaulting Tacoma bank cashier, has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment. Chandler, his accomplice, was sentenced to five years.

Robert Shirr, ex-president of the Red Cloud (Col.) Bank and Farmers' Loan association, was arrested at Denver on a warrant charging him with embezzlement.

Kit Carson Jr., son of the famous old scout by the same name, at La Junta, Col., killed his father-in-law and mother-in-law, and then made good his escape into New Mexico.

The man who threw the dynamite bomb at Russell Sage has been identified as Henry L. Norcross of Somerville, Mass. He conducted a broker's office at Boston.

A strike is on at the Indiana coal mines. A dynamite bomb was exploded in the Pratt mine near Brazil. It was placed in a fan cylinder, which was shattered to atoms.

At a meeting of the San Jose common council Mayor Rucker preferred charges of malfeasance in office against City Attorney Hardy. The mayor accuses Hardy of accepting a bribe from a Chinaman.

Joseph Patterson, colored, who killed his wife and a negro in Bossier Parish, La., and afterward shot J. B. Lay and Dave Wallace, was run down so closely by a mob that he returned home, put to flight the mourners in the room with the body of his wife and blew out his brains.

Richard A. Holmes was shot at Fairbank, A. T., by R. S. Fisher and died shortly afterward. The shooting grew out of an old feud between Fisher and a man named Haffner, with whom Holmes was stopping. He was shot while helping Haffner to break open a shop [illegible] which Fisher was standing guard.

In the Parsons investigation at Salt Lake one Essie Banks, under cross examination, admitted that she was a prostitute and gave much testimony of a character unfit for publication regarding the conduct of affairs at the penitentiary, asserting that the guards [illegible] consorted with female convicts [illegible] the walls of the prison.

At Santa Fe, N. M., [illegible] the night operator [illegible] the Atchison, Topeka [illegible]

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FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 18, 1891

OUR NEW YEAR'S EDITION.

The PRESS will issue a special edition on January 1, 1892, descriptive of the county. It will not be a boom edition, but a faithful representation of the county. It will contain special articles by able writers on the lumber, fruit, stock, and other interests of the county; something of the history of the county, descriptions of valleys, towns, pleasure resorts, personal reminiscenses, etc. It will also contain such illustrations as can can be secured between now and the date of issue. The edition will be 5000 COPIES. The paper will contain not less than 24 PAGES of a size about 14 x 18. Such a paper will be of great value to the county AS AN ADVERTISEMENT, and we hope the business men all over the county will give us their encouragement and SUPPORT. Every man in the county will be asked to take a few copies of the paper to send to his friends.

The edition will not be less than 5000, and if we get the proper ENCOURAGEMENT, will make it 10000. Our books are open for advertisers NOW, and orders for papers may be handed in at ONCE.

"THE Women's Society for the Correction of Public Abuses," is the name of the latest organization which has sprung up in San Francisco, says the *Post*, and its avowed object is to inaugurate a campaign of reformation. The society in question is young. In fact, it is still in it swaddling clothes, but judging by the noise attending its birth, it is a lusty infant and destined at least to make a bustle in the world.

WE are sorry to see that the Chilian government still seems inclined to be discourteous to our own representatives, and has as yet failed to give us the satisfaction in the Baltimore matter that we have a right to demand. It has always been the policy of the U. S. government to show moderation and forbearance in their treatment of smaller countries, but really if Chile will not be satisfied in any other way and must have a fight they will be accommodated in short order.

ACCORDING to our Democratic contemporary, when his party wins it is a heroic adherance to principle, an upheaval of the masses against the despotism of robber barons and corporations, a rebuke to Czar Reed, in short the better element of our people against all that is bad, wicked, and naughty. When his party loses, they owe their defeat to corruption, boodle, and rascality. How sad, how very sad it is, when we find all the goodness, patriotism, purity, and honesty in a great nation on one side, and that side usually in the minority.

ATTENTION is called to a well written article in the *Pacific Rural Press*, on "Mendocino Co. Hop Growing," by Ninetta Eames. In the course of the article the lady takes space to extol the wisdom of some growers in contracting their hops. The growers of this county would beg leave to dissent, too many have tried it and found it a great mistake. Experience has proved that an era of low prices so sharpens the discrimination of the dealer that the same grade of hops that sell at a good price in open market is not merchantable when under contract. Hops rejected by dealers, as unmerchantable, have been put on the open market and sold at above the average price.

THE *Dispatch-Democrat*, like so many Democratic papers, is now as much worried over an imaginary deficit in national finances as they were a year or two ago over the surplus. We would recommend Bro. Buckingham to read the President's message where he will learn that we have something over $30,000,000 between us and an empty purse. He had better rewrite his editorial and make it into a denunciation of the crime of having a surplus. It is really a very difficult matter to be a Democratic editor and be consistent. The course of events has so persistently knocked the wind out of their sails and their own party is tacking so often to catch the political breeze that the ink is hardly dry on their editorials before they wished they hadn't.

AT last the Supreme Court of California has rendered a decision in the case brought to test the constitutionality of the acts of Presiding Judge Wallace of San Francisco, who with the regular panel for Grand Jury *not* exhausted, and the Sheriff *not* disqualified, appointed an elisor to complete the Grand Jury. The Supreme Court has evidently given the matter careful consideration, for they brought in no less than five opinions. Six out of seven of the Judges think that Judge Wallace exceeded his power in appointing a person to select members to complete the Grand Jury, while the Sheriff was not disqualified. One only, Judge Sharpstein, upholds the action of Judge Wallace, and he does not go into the law of the matter, but simply falls back on a precedent. The six Judges are not fully agreed as to a work of prohibition being a proper proceeding to test the matter, but this is merely a legal squabble, in which laymen have no interest. Enough that a majority consider that said writ was not a proper remedy. We believe that a great majority of our people will heartily applaud this decision, not because they uphold Elwood Bruner, or Boss Buckley, or any other of these scoundrels. It is earnestly to be hoped that a legally constituted Grand Jury of San Francisco will bring in new indictments against these men as well as a score of other scoundrels, bribe givers, and bribe takers, in high and low places, and that evidence will be secured to send a large conclave of these rascals as an advance delegation to San Quentin. But whatever the demerits of these men, it can do no good to go beyond the law to punish them. If the law is to be subverted it would be better done by a vigilance committee than by the courts who are sworn to uphold it. The forms of law are a protection to the innocent, and are ample for the punishment of the guilty. Judge Wallace and the elisor-selected Grand Jury may, and we trust do have, good motives in their extra-judicial acts, but the precedent they would have set is far more dangerous to the innocent than to the guilty.

The Homestead Law a Republican Measure.

(Toledo Blade)

The death of George Wheaton Allen, the father of the homestead land law, from which fact he was familiarly referred to as "Land-bill" Allen, recalls the fact that the policy of that measure was a bitterly contested issue between the two political parties of the land. The homestead question and the tariff question were important issues before the people in the years immediately preceeding the civil war, though this fact is almost lost sight of in the greater prominence of the slavery question, and the tremendous war which its discussion brought upon the nation.

The homestead measure as originated by Mr. Allen, was practically that which was enacted into law early in Lincoln's administration — the granting of 160 acres out of the public lands to any actual settler who should reside thereon five years, and cultivate the land. The Republican party advocated this, as it did a protective tariff, in the campaign of 1860, which resulted in the election of Mr. Lincoln to presidency. It may be of interest to quote the two planks of the Republican platform of that year referring to these two measures:

PROTECTIVE TARIFF.

12.—That, while providing revenue for the support of the general government by duties upon imports, sound policy requires such an adjustment of these imports as to encourage the developement of the industrial interests of the whole country; and we commend that policy of national exchanges which secures to the workmen liberal wages, to agriculture renumerative prices, to the mechanics and manufacturers an adequate reward for their skill, labor, and enterprise, and to the nation commercial prosperity and independence.

HOMESTEADS.

13.—That we protest against any sale or alienation to others of the public lands held by actual settlers, and against any view of the homestead policy which regards the settlers as paupers or suppliants for public bounty; and we demand the passage by Congress of the complete and satisfactory homestead measure which has already passed the House.

The bill referred to in the concluding sentence above was Mr. Allen's measure; and it was passed by the Congress chosen at the election of 1860. There is no longer any question as to the propriety of that measure. No intelligent man in all this broad land but recognizes its great value in the rapid development of the mighty agricultural empire of the West and Northwest. That was a cardinal principal of the Republican party in 1860, while the Democrats were opposing it bitterly, and stigmatizing men who would accept land upon such terms as "paupers" and "suppliants for the bounty of the government," and urging that the measure would create states whose entire population would be on a level of the inmates of county poor houses.

The tariff question was also an issue then, and the success of the Republican party led to the enactment of the Morrill tariff law; and since that time protection has been the policy of the federal government. That policy has done more for our industrial development than the homestead land law did for our agricultural development. The two have been the prime factors in the enormous progress the country has made in the 31 years since 1860.

No stronger showing can possibly be made than the result of these two measures in favor of the soundness of the national policy of the Republican party, and against the narrow, bigoted and illogical policy which has always dominated the Democratic party in regard to national affairs. The homestead question is no longer an issue; the tariff question is, but it should not be. Its results ought to convince every broad-minded man that protection should be the settled, definitive policy of the United States, and the man who opposes it should be recognized for what he really is—the enemy of his country's best interests.

Into the Sea.

The S. F. *Post* of last Monday says that while the steamer Los Angeles was just off Ft. Bragg quite a sensation was caused by the attempted suicide of John G. Haltz, who jumped overboard. The steamer was stopped, a boat lowered, and in nine minutes after he made the leap he was landed safe on board again. Friends who came down on the steamer said that Haltz owned considerable land in Humboldt county, over which he had had great trouble, and that this had probably shattered his mind.

A Safe Investment

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of a failure return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised druggist a bottle of Dr. King's new discovery for consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of throat, lungs, or chest such as consumtion, inflamation of the lungs, bronchitis, asthma, whooping cough, croup, etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at J. R. Mathews' drug store.

Lost.

A black morocco pocket case containing local recommendations of White Bronze monuments, also some letters and printed matter bearing the name of the owner, J. L. Allen, who will pay a liberal reward to the finder if they will leave it at the office of the REPUBLICAN PRESS.

FROM SANEL.

The wood market is a little brisker since the cold snap.

What about the Booneville road, it should be put through.

Considerable corn was raised in this vicinity this year.

Miss Nora Wright is making quite an extended visit in Oakland.

Mrs. Fred Forse left for the bay city Monday for about a week's stay.

Born to the wife of Henry Ertman, a daughter, on the 10th inst.

Mrs. Cas Tindall is paying a brief visit to relatives in Potter Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dare McMillian came up from the city during the week.

Travel to and from Lake county is very slim, the stage being empty each way.

Road overseer Jones has a force of men and teams at work graveling Duncan's Lane.

Sam Brooks had his thumb badly cut last Friday morning, while cutting hay in a hay feeder; it was found necessary to amputate part of the thumb.

Four of Ukiah bloods came down here last Tuesday afternoon, expecting to clean some of the boys out in a little game of poker and also trying to beat the Thatcher hotel of their board bill—but got sadly left.

Last Monday afternoon the Sanel school closed with a successful term. The closing was marked by appropriate exercises, participated in by teacher and pupils. At 3 P. M. Miss Luce, the teacher, commenced the exercises by raising a beautiful flag, after which a good programme was rendered.

ANNIE R.

Dec. 19, 1891.

Court Proceedings.

Hon. R. McGarvey, Presiding.

December 14.

People vs Thomas Eberson—Plea of not guilty entered.—Trial set for January term.

Estate of N. Brettnocher, an incompetent.—J. S. Carlyle appointed guardian, with bonds fixed at $8,000.

David Jones and Evan Davis vs. J. T. Rogers—Submitted and plaintiff takes one day to file brief.

Ben Mills vs. D. M. Copsey—Continued.

Methodist Episcopal Church at Philo granted petition to mortgage property.

Eri Huggins vs. Fort Bragg Redwood Co.—Jury trial demanded; special venire ordered.

David Jones vs Niles Eversen—Plaintiff allowed 30 days to ammend complaint.

Ordered that a grand jury be summoned.

David Jones and Evan Davis vs. J. T. Rogers—Demurrer sustained.

Elizabeth A. Hibberd vs. Chas. A. Melville—Defendant allowed 30 days in addition to time allowed by law to file motion for the new trial.

Noyo Lumber Co. vs Wm. Eadie—Plaintiff allowed to withdraw maps and plats filed in said case on giving receipt for same.

People ex rel Wm. Eadie vs. Noyo Lumber Co.—Transferred to Sonoma County for trial.

Eri Huggins vs. Fort Bragg Redwood Co.—Jury trial. Verdict for defendant for $1.

Estate of Henry C. Grider—Continued until January 11, 1892.

Thos. Hopper vs. Joseph Spotswood—Judgment for plaintiff and findings waived.

J. F. Hoadly Jr. vs. S. F. and N. P. Ry—Judgment for plaintiff for $89.25, 20 days' stay of execution granted.

Guardianship of Juan Bermudas minors—Continued.

Estate Henry Isern—Final account allowed.

Estate of Geo. W. Gibson—Petition to sell real estate granted.

Estate of John O'Donnell—Petition for probate of will continued.

Guardianship of James N. Capell—C. O. Capell appointed guardian.

Adjourned until Friday, December 18, 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Why Not Grade the County License.

While visiting the County seat last month, I happened to step into a small grocery store while the proprietor was lamenting over his county license. He said his license was $36 while across the street there is a man who deals in drugs, groceries, dry goods, jewelry and in fact sells almost everything that is in the line of traffic. His county license is $36 also, Just the same as the poor grocery man I visited while there.

A liquor merchant who asks thousands of dollars for his place of business, his barrels and bottles are corded to the roof, his liquor license is $140 per year. While on my way home the stage halted at a watering place, where a man is trying to make a living for a large family at the same business, and the contents of his saloon or the goods on hand, would not amount in value to $25. I asked him how much was his county license and his answer was $140.

It does look to me like the license should be graded and give the poor man a chance by lowering his license or raising the rich mans.

A TAX PAYER OF MENDOCINO.

Dec. 13, 1891.

Help.

Rev. O. Whitcomb of Redwood Valley, has recently lost three of his children with Diphtheria, and others of them are down with the same dreadful disease. They are very destitute, and in great want of bedding, clothing and the necessaries of life. Their children range from 10 to 17 years. We appeal to a generous public for help. Any clothing, bedding, money, etc., left at my house (Baptist Parsonage) will be gratefully received and appropriated to their comfort We want to send the things to them next Tuesday. W. T. FLEENOR,

Sec'y Board of Charities.

Darbys Prophylactic Fluid.

Use it in every sick-room. Will keep the atmosphere pure and wholesome; removing all bad odors from any source.

Will destroy all Disease Germs, infection from all Fevers and all contagious diseases.

The eminent physician, J. Marion Sims, of New York, says; "I am convinced that Prof. Darbys Prophylactic Fluid is a most valuable disinfectant."

Dismissed.

The case of the People of California vs. Thomas Brothers of Ukiah, in Justice Poage's court, has been dismissed. An agreement has been made beiween the parties concerned, whereby the matter has been satisfactorily decided.

Position Wanted.

A young man 17 years of age wants a position. He is willing to do any kind of work, or learn some trade. Address this office.

Is Alum Poisonous?

(Hall's Journal of Health.)

"This question has caused a good deal of discussion. Alum is used by many bakers to whiten their bread, enabling them to use an inferior flour. It is most extensively employed as a cheap substitute for cream of tartar in the manufacture of baking powders. Its use has not been considered immediately dangerous, although if continued it induces dyspepsia and obstinate constipation. But the fact that many cases of poisoning have occurred from the use of alum, puts the question in a more serious aspect, and prudent people will exercise caution in the selection of baking powders."

"Under what conditions then, does this substance—formerly used only for mechanical or medicinal purposes become poisonous? They are certainly obscure, and at present we can only surmise what they may be. We suspect that the cause exists in the individual poisoned; some peculiarity of the constitution producing a morbid change in the secretions of the stomach, with which the alum combines and forms an active poison; or the secretions may be healthy but in unusual proportions, and that these less or greater proportions in combination with the alum constitute a poison."

"For example, two parts of mercury and two parts of chlorine form calomel, which is not poisonous, but change the proportions to one part mercury and two parts of chlorine, and we get corrosive sublimate, which is a deadly poison."

"Then again we know nothing of the constitutional peculiarities. Why is it that one person can eat all kinds of green fruits and vegetables with impunity, while the same course might cost another individual his life? One person can handle poison ivy and sumac without being in the least affected; another is poisoned if he approaches to within ten feet of them. Out of a family residing in a malarial district, some of the members will suffer half the year with fever and ague, while the others will enjoy excellent health during the year. Foods that are wholesome to some persons are actually poisonous to others. This is especially true of some kinds of fish. There is no safety in taking alum into the stomach, as it is shown to be always injurious, and often dangerous." **

The *Scientific American* published in a recent number a list of alum and ammonia baking powders, which is of great value at this time. Following is a condensed list compiled from official reports. Powders marked with a star seem to have a general sale, as they are mentioned in at least two of the official reports:

*ATLANTIC & PACIFIC.	*ROYAL.
CROWN.	SILVER STAR.
*DAVIS O. K.	*SNOWDRIFT.
GEM.	STAR.
*KENTON.	STANDARD.

There are, are in addition to the foregoing list from the *Scientific American*, a number of such powders sold in the western that were not found in the eastern stores.

Following is a list of the most prominent:

ANDREWS' PEARL.....Contains Ammonia. (C. E. Andrews & Co., Milwaukee.)
ACME.....Contains Ammonia. (Thos. Wood & Co., Philadelphia.)
BON BON.....Contains Alum. (J. C. Grant Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)
CALUMET.....Contains Alum. (Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)
CLIMAX.....Contains Ammonia. Climax Baking Powder Co., Indianapolis.)
FOREST CITY.....Contains Ammonia Alum. (Vouwie Bros., Cleveland.)
HOTEL.....Contains Ammonia Alum. (J. C. Grant Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)
HERCULES.....Contains Ammonia. (Hercules Baking Powder Co., San Francisco.)
ONESPOON, TAYLOR'S.....Ammonia Alum. (Taylor Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)
RISING SUN.....Contains Ammonia. (Phoenix Chemical Works, Chicago.)
ROYAL.....Contains Ammonia. (Royal Baking Powder Co., New York.)

A Bean Guess.

On the first day of January, 1892, J. W. Eversole will give away one elegant willow and one beautiful upholstered rocker. With each dollar's worth of goods sold for cash, during the month of December, he will give one chance to guess the number of beans contained in a fancy fruit basket which is displayed in his show window, together with the rockers. The one guessing nearest to the number of beans will have first choice and the next nearest, the remaining rocker.

Closing Out Sale.

On account of removal from Ukiah, L. B. Gardner will dispose of his entire stock of jewelry, silverware, and optical goods at cost. Everything including show cases and fixtures must be sold before Jan. 1st, 1892. Sam L. Moore will conduct the sale for him This is an exceedingly rare opportunity to purchase goods in this line King's old stand in Eversole's Furniture store.

Notice To Settle.

All parties indebted to H. T. Hatch are requested to settle by cash or note at the Ukiah Lumber yard on or before January 1st, 1892. No accounts now running will be extended beyond that time. H. T. HATCH.

WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS—Choice Wines and Liquors.

THE FDED LINCH ORPHANAGE.

An Appeal by Managers for Furniture, Provisions and Things Needed.

Oakland is about to add to the list of her benevolent institutions a very promising charity, to which little reference has been made in the public press. The Fred Finch Orphanage, established under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal church in the State of California, will be opened for the reception of children within the next fortnight.

The property, a gift of Captain and Mrs. Finch of this city, is delightfully situated on one of the sightly elevations of Fruitvale, over-looking the bay, and consists of six acres set in well grown fruit and ornamental trees, with a house and out buildings in fine order.

The location affords an ideal home for children. School and church are near. Water is pure and plentiful, and the drainage is perfect. The scenery is charming, the climate is of the best in the vicinity of Oakland, the grounds are laid out with fine taste, and fruits and flowers are abundant. The inmates of this institution will enjoy in rare combination the advantages of both country and city life.

Appeal is made by the Board of managers for gifts of furniture and fixtures and provisions preparatory to the reception of children. I venture to append a list of some of the things needed, and to solicit the attention of the benevolent to the claims of this new agency of usefulness.

There is required at the Orphanage, a bed lounge, palor stove, lamps, clock, pictures, rugs, lace curtains, carpets, matting, 9x4 sheeting, and pillow casing, pillows, towels, 3-4 blankets, comforters, counterpanes, and table linen.

Bureaus, washstands, granite bowls, small tables, mirrors.

Range, step ladder, kitchen table, dining table, dishes, knives and forks, spoons.

Carpenter tools, plow and harrow, garden tools, cow, horse, harness and light wagon.

Groceries, canned and dried fruits, canned meats, vegetables and provisions, of every sort.

Wells, Fargo & Co. have kindly consented to deliver portable donations free of charge.

Correspondence should be addressed to Miss Mable Urany, secretary, 1015 Linden street, Oakland.

Cash contributions may be sent to I. J. Truman, treasurer, San Francisco.—A. N. F. *in Oakland Enquirer.*

A Popular Grocery Store.

In the race for supremacy.—and the keen competion in the grocery business, it is well to look at store that sells not only the best of goods, but treats its customers with the most careful consideration. Porterfield & Stitt's is such a store and has ever been so. There is no better place to trade in town. Farmerf laying in their winter supplies can do the best with us. Bring also your produce to us.

Notice.

The prices for Horseshoeing at th undersigned shops will be as follow on and after Dec. 1st, 1891.

Shoeing.....$2 00
Resetting.....1 50

Signed: Thos. Charlton, Wm. H. Chessall, Wm. H. Lewis, Buckle and Keenan.

Ladies Bazaar.

Miss Katie Phelps has opened a Ladies Bazaar of fashion and fancy goods at Saunders' Art Gallery Parlors, and will carry a full line of materials for all kinds of ladies fancy work.

Fruit Trees.

Wagenseller & Purdy have for sale a choice stock of fruit trees. French Prunes, Bartlett Pears, at reasonable rates. Sale grounds at residence of Carl Purdy.

For Sale.

Good, dry, 20-inch, white oak wood for sale at $2.50 per cord.

Inquire of L. GOBBI.

Established 1878—WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS.

For Sale.

Fifteen head draught, buggy, and saddle horses. Apply to M. B. McGowan, Asylum.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS—Choice Wines and Liquors.

MARRIED.

NOBLE—McCREADY—In Oakland, Dec. 7, 1891, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mr. Leonard Noble and Miss Rena McCready.

BORN.

BRENNAN—At Point Arena Lighthouse, Dec. 5, 1891, to the wife of G. P. Brennan, a girl.

BISHOP—At Garcia, Dec. 2, 1891, to the wife of Chas. Bishop, a daughter.

The Sham and the Real.

Every good thing has its imitators, every genuine article its counterfeits. The Ammonia and Alum Baking Powders sold over the counters are no more like Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, than the paste is like the real diamond, or a counterfeit is like one of the old master's genuine paintings.

When greedy and merciless manufacturers claim their adulterated and harmful baking powders are as good as Dr. Price's, they know they are not telling the truth. These people know they are destroying the stomachs and the complexion of the consumers, and there are many grocers recommending such powders over their counters—knowing same to be injurious and worthless—simply to make a large profit.

Dr. Price, a concientious physician, has spent a lifetime in perfecting and popularizing his Cream Baking Powder, the only Pure Cream Tartar Powder now to be obtained.

Multitudes of imitators all over the land have sprung up, not to imitate the purity of Price's Cream Baking Powder, but to see how cheap they could make their counterfeits and hoodwink the public.

Some use Ammonia and others Alum, but all these shams cry in chorus, "Buy this, its just as good as Dr. Price's and much cheaper.

Price's Cream Baking Powder is the standard for purity and perfection the world over, and is beyond comparison.

Dr. Price stands for Pure Food and a foe to all shams.

WHY DO YOU COUGH?

Do you know that a little Cough, is a dangerous thing? Are you aware that it often fastens on the lungs and far too often ruginto Consumption and ends in Death? People suffering from Asthma, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, and Consumption will tell you that

"IT STARTED WITH A COLD."

DOCTOR ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY

Will Stop a Cough at any time, and cure the worst Cold in less hours. A 25 cent bottle may save you $100 in doctor's bills—may save your life. ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR IT.

IT TASTES GOOD.

For sale by J. N. Magee, Druggist, Ukiah

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL

Masquerade Ball

—GIVEN BY—

Eagle Fire Co. No. 1,

OF UKIAH, AT

MARKS' OPERA HOUSE.

NEW YEARS EVE, DEC. 31

COMMITTEES.

ARRANGEMENTS—J. R. Johnson, Chairman; Chas. Cunningham, Secretary; J. E. Porter, F. P. Baldwin, J. A. King.

RECEPTION—L. T. Day, Q. A. Overmeyer, C. E. Nutter, J. H. Barker, R. F. Myres.

FLOOR—F. P. Baldwin, Floor Manager; A. W King, W. H. Southard, J. E. Porter, Joe Jacobs, S. J. Mathews, Assistants.

INVITATION—UKIAH—W. H. Chessall, Geo. Fahrion, S. J. Holliday, E. C. Ward. POTTER—John Redemeyer, Joe Brower, L. H. Nell. HOPLAND—F. O. Forse, T. Barker, Lige Duncan ANDERSON—Jas. Reilly, Jno McGimpsey, Jno Rector. CALPELLA—Cal. Toney, Wm. Chase Geo. English.

4--HANDSOME PRIZES--4

WILL BE AWARDED.

Following is the list: Best Sustained Character, Lady, Toilet and manicure set; Best Sustained Character, Gent, Shaving Set; Most Original Costume, Lady, Hanging Lamp; Most Original Costume, Gent, Silver Trimmed, Silk Lined Collar and Cuff box; Best groupe of Three or more, $10 Cash.

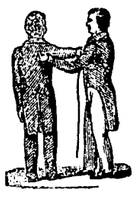
The Ukiah Orchestra

Will furnish music for the occasion. Grand March at 8:30 sharp. Save time and trouble by buying your tickets before hand.

ADMISSION:

LADY MASKERS,	FREE
GENTLEMEN,	$1.50
SPECTATORS,	.50
RESERVED SEATS,	.75

CHAS. WALKER,



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QUONG YEE LEE

—DEALER IN—

Fancy Goods, Fish, Vegetables

ETC, ETC.

State Street, - Ukiah, Cal

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., December 14, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Clerk of Mendocino county, at the county seat, on Saturday, February 6, 1892, viz:

CHARLES F RUPE,

Pre-emption D S 26818 for the N hf of S E qr add S E qr of S E qr and N E qr of S W qr sec 28 tp 13 N, R 12 W, M D M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Edmund E Beachey, Robt. L. Sullivan, Hartwig Sierk, Duff B. Wright, all of Hopland Cal.

oct16 Nov20 JOHN F. SHEEHAN, Register.

For Sale.

Cheap, or to let—a horse of all work, weight about 1200 lbs. 6t GEO. MCCOWEN.

Opposition is The Life of Trade

$15,000.00

Worth of the Finest Goods ever displayed in Mendocino County thrown on the Market.

I am in it, and "Don't you forget it!" Goods well bought are half sold. I buy in large quantities for cash, and can thereby sell for 25 per cent less than "long time" dealers, and still live.

Merit Will Prevail.

EVERYTHING

GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED

And my guarantee is backed up by coin.

Fine Watch reparing a Specialty.

GEO. W. PARKER,

Mendocino County's Jeweler.

I can and Will Undersell Any House in the County

LIVE WHILE YOU CAN

Father Time is good to the man who is good to himself. Those who live well live long, and he surely lives well who buys his

GROCERIES

—AT—

Porterfield & Stitt's

"Good digestion waits on appetite" when the viands are excellent in quality, such as you get at P. & S's.

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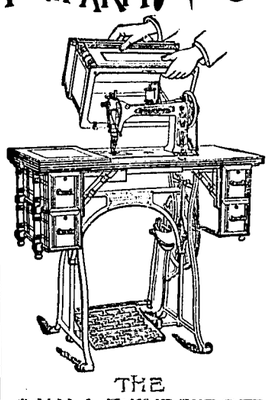

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Furniture, Carpets, Etc.

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UKIAH, CAL.

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LILY WHITE FLOUR

Should do so at once. It makes the best bread, consequently gives best satisfaction.

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CHRISTMAS FOR ALL.

The "Press" Subscription List a Grand Success.

The Money to be Turned Over to the Board of City Charities.

The PRESS subscription list which was started last week, and the proceeds of which will be turned over to the Board of City Charities of Ukiah to be expended as they see fit in buying presents for the poor, is a grand success. Over $50 has already been subscribed, and that amount is expected to be doubled before Christmas. The Bee Hive Society came to the front with a donation of $7. The names of the members and the letter accompanying the money is given below. Many young hearts will be made glad Christmas morning, and it is to be hoped that the parents of the children who receive presents from the Society will accept them with a good free will—as they are given. Let every person in Ukiah, rich and poor, young and old, have a merry Christmas, is the wish of the PRESS.

BEE HIVE SOCIETY.

EDITOR PRESS—At the last meeting of the Bee Hive Society the members decided to assist in the Christmas Fund for the poor, started in last week's PRESS. We inclose $7, and may it make those as happy in receiving it as it does our members in giving it. Truly Yours,

BEE HIVE SOCIETY.

Signed: Lula Ames, Felice Cerf, Ethel Cooper, Katie Dowling, Mabel Hirsch, Lena Johnson, Grace Johnson, Emma Lempke, Grace Mathews, Madge Smith, Mabel Smith, Alice Chalfant, Pearl Perkins.

Below we give a list of those who have subscribed to the fund and the amount:

A CHRISTMAS FOR ALL FUND.

Bee Hive Society	7 00
W. D. White	1 50
J. S. O'Neal	1 00
T. & J. Gallagher	1 00
Mannie Hirsch	1 00
Henry Smith	1 00
Chas. Cunningham	1 00
M. Davidson	1 00
J. S. Hart	1 00
P. Charlieville	1 00
J. R. Moore	1 00
A. Cerf	1 00
T. L. Carothers	1 00
A. Baltzell	1 00
C. J. Osborn	1 00
Smith & Gibson	2 50
A. Beckman	1 00
M. B. McGowan	1 00
L. T. Day	1 50
W. P. Thomas	1 50
Seymor Marks	1 00
J. Kennedy	1 00
A. Peterson	1 00
M. McDermott	1 00
A. Marks	2 50
Max Carothers	1 00
A. W. King	1 00
F. H. Van Allen	1 00
S. J. Holliday	1 00
Cash	50
C. H. Stout	50
Cash	50
Sam Love	25
S. D. Paxton	50
F. C. Handy	50
Jas. Mathews	50
Cash (correspondent)	$5 00
C. Hofman	2 00
REPUBLICAN PRESS	2 00
Cash	1 50

The War Cloud.

The great exertion made by all of the European powers towards perfecting their armies and navies is certainly indicative of trouble in the near future.

Government officials all over Europe are watching, with an eagle eye, Russia's extensive preparations for war, and her rivals on all sides are making counter-preparations for the great struggle which must sooner or later take place.

Enormous sums of money have been expended in the construction of strategic railroads and other ways arranging for the transportation of large bodies of troops to their frontiers.

Germany and France, with their magnificent armies and navies, drilled to a perfection that the world has never before witnsed, are watching each other with the utmost suspicion and it is the belief of many, high in the councils of the French government that she would openly declare war to-morrow were it not for the fact that, so far, she has been unable to close a contract wherein her army and navy could be fully supplied with Golden Eagle Flour.

Fires at Westport.

A dispatch to the *Chronicle* dated Dec. 14th. says: The house known as Soldier Frank's at Cottaneva, burned yesterday. It caught from a defective flue. It was the oldest house in the northern country and was built in 1858. The occupants lost half of their effects. Lyman Leonard was the tenant.

John Sutherland's house burned here to-day. The contents were nearly all saved. Sutherlands family of thirteen persons occupy the barn to-night.

A Narrow Escape.

John Doherty, one of the brick layers at the Asylum, met with an accident Monday, which might have proved fatal, but as it was he escaped with only a few scratches. He was at work on an arch when the center gave way and he was precipitated to the ground below, a distance of about 25 feet. About two hundred brick fell with him, and his fellow-workers expected to find his mangled body when they reached the spot; instead they found him standing up and hurt very little. It was a narrow escape.

Chas. Kemp Kiled.

Jas. Clay shot and killed Charles Kemp in the Grand Hotel, at Eureka last Thursday. Clay on going to his wife's room found Kemp occupying the room with her, and both only partly dressed. It was then that he fired the fatal shots. Clay then went to the Sheriff's office and gave himself up. After a hearing before the Justice of the Peace he was held without bonds to appear before the Superior Court.

Encouraging Reports.

Reports from stock men throughout the county are quite encouraging. Enough new feed has grown to keep sheep in fair order, and the rains and cold snaps have been short. A continuance of as good weather as we have had will insure wool growers a profitable season.

Friday Night Social.

The social dance given by the Ukiah Orchestra last Friday evening was a grand success socially. This is the first of a series of dances they intend to give this winter. Their next social will be given next week.

"Lady of Lyons."

Constant rehearsing is being done by those taking part in the drama, "Lady of Lyons." The programme with a synopsis of the play will be given in a short time. It promises to be a great success.

W. and W. New No. 9 Sewing Machines at J. W. Eversoles'

HENRY HAAS AGAIN.

He Forged Mortgages on Lands in Mendocino county.

Wm. Hill, one of Petaluma's leading bankers was victimized to the tune of $1,200 by a fraudulent mortgage executed by Henry Haas, in the name of Silas Mitchell, on lands in Mendocino county. Haas is now in jail in San Francisco, and is the same man who, some time ago, figured in incendary fires at Guerneville. The mortgage fraud was not discovered until Mitchell, who resides in San Diego county, came to pay his taxes. He was astonished to find his line encumbered with a mortgage in favor of Wm. Hill of this city. About this time Haas had been arrested in San Francisco for some simular crookedness in another part of the State, and Mr. Hill went down, took a look at him and at once recognized him as the personator of Silas Mitchell. He is a bad egg.—*Petaluma Argus.*

Report of Treasurer of Board City Charities.

On the 8th of Dec. 1890, there was organized here a "Board of City Charities," which consisted of the several ministers, and one lady from each church. At the end of this, its first year, the Board wish to make a financial statement, so that the public whose money has been received may know just what has been done. Money received from all sources during the past year, $124.20. Expended $98.95. Clothing and provisions furnished by the Board $63.35, beside jellies and fruits for the sick.

The money on hand when the Board was organized was $10.45, the offering taken at the Thanksgiving session of last year, and $1.00 given by an inmate of the County House, who said he hoped it would do someone good. Some persons say there are none in Ukiah needing help, and the only reason we can give for their saying so, is, that they do not look for them. Last winter there were a number helped, who were loth to take it, and who would have worked if they could have found it to do. We thank Mrs. A. Marks for clothing when we were greatly in need of it; also all others who have helped us in this good work. Winter is here, and many are to be supplied, so that money and clothing will be needed by the Board, as will be seen by the above statement that but $25.25 remains in the hands of the Treasurer. The Board hope that persons having clothing of any kind, that they will give away, will leave it at the home of Rev. W. T. Fleener, who is secretary of the Board.

MRS. T. A. TEMPLETON,
Treasurer Board of City Charities.

Rainbow Entertainment.

Those who attended the entertainment given by the ladies of St. John's M. E. Church, were fortunate indeed, as the novelty was a complete success.

The dolls formed a beautiful collection, and a great deal of taste had been exercised in decorating each table in all of the colors of the rainbow. The tree, loaded with charming balls of rainbow hues, was beautiful, and Miss Susie Harris was kept busy stripping it of its blossoms. The refreshment quarter did a rushing business. The programme was well carried out; the children in the Infantry Drill and in The Rainbow, showing marked ability. The vocal music by Mrs. Seawell and Miss Ames, and the piano duet by Misses Ames and Howell were all that could be desired. The ladies wish to thank everyone who contributed in any way to their success.

Officers Elected.

Ukiah Council No. 45, O. C. F. on Tuesday evening elected the following officers: A. O. Carpenter, C. C.; H. M. Condict, P. C.; Mrs. S. W. Haskett, V. C.; Mrs. Belle Johnson, Sec'y; W. D. White, Treasurer; Mrs. M. A. Kelton, Marshal; Mrs. J. G. Whelan, Warden; Mrs. T. Reeves, Prelate; Mrs. Kate Sweasy, Guard; Joe Jacobs, Sentry. H. M. Condict was elected Representative to the Grand Council which meets in San Francisco in April. The O. C. F. is one of the most prosperous orders of Ukiah. They now number over one hundred members, and several new names were proposed for membership at their last meeting.

Christmas Tree for the Indians.

The Christmas tree for the Indians will, with the usual concomitant services, be held at the Chapel or school house, at Pinoleville, Friday of this week, at 2 o'clock P. M. Any person having anything that would be serviceable to the old, helpless, and real needy Indians can do them a kindness by leaving such articles at the residence of J. L. Burchard, anytime by or before 12 o'clock (noon) Friday, the 18th. J. L.

Call on Them.

Dr. Von Bach, of Berlin and Dr. G. W. Williams, formerly of Queen's Hospital, London, and their assistants, will be in Ukiah to-day, Friday, and Saturday and Sunday. They can be consulted free of charge at their rooms in the Grand Hotel. These gentlemen claim to cure a great many diseases and offer $1,000 reward if they fail in any case undertaken. We would advise the afflicted to call and see them.

Grand Jurors.

Following is a list of the Grand Jurors drawn for the ensuing term: N. Wagenseller, D. C. Crockett, Amos Snuffin, W. E. Parsons, Wm. Proudfood, F. M. Mason, D. M. Copsey, Jno. Cox, W. D. White, J. Duncan, W. A. Evans, A. P. Weger, E. S. Williams, J. L. Brown, Geo. A. Lane, S. Orr, Sr., Seymore Marks, J. E. Holliday, J. A. Gibson.

We Want a Fire Engine.

The Town Board meets next Monday evening. A petition from Eagle Fire Company in regard to the purchase of a fire engine will be presented to that honorable body. The company want an engine, the protection of our property demands it, and the fire laddies say it won't be their fault if Ukiah don't have one.

Rev. I. N. Waterman at Covelo.

Rev. I. N. Waterman, who has accepted the charge at Covelo, preached his first sermon to a large congregation last Sunday. The people of Round Valley feel very much pleased at having secured Rev. Mr. Waterman for pastor.

Lost.

A diamond collar button on the streets of Ukiah Has G. C. engraved on back. Finder will be suitably rewarded. Leave at this office. 1t.

Bibles and Testaments.

A new lot of Bibles and Testaments just received from the Cala. Bible Society, at the City Pharmacy.

NEW YEAR'S EDITION.

Very Extensively Illustrated.---Work progressing Rapidly.

Those who take an interest in our new year's edition should call at this office and witness the progress of the good work. Extra help has been employed and no pains or money will be stinted to give our readers the best paper of this kind ever published in Mendocino County. It will contain no less than twenty illustrations of different places of interest in the county. Able writers from every important valley in the county have been detailed, who will give facts in regard to resources, climate, etc. No hap-hazzard, guesswork about it, everything given as correctly as possible. The intention is to show up the county to the outside world in its true light. It is not intended as a boom edition, and as we have said before, will be confined to the truth and nothing but the truth.

The expense of the edition has already been considerable, and more to follow, therefore every business man in the county should help by giving a small "ad." You are not only helping in this worthy undertaking, but you are benefitting yourself a thousand times the price of your advertisement. Five thousand copies will be issued and distributed throughout the county, the State and the United States. Give your patronage, tho' it be small.

Fort Bragg Stage Co.

The Casedero and Fort Bragg Stage Company, W. Miller & Co. proprietors, runs through stages the entire distance of 108 miles from Casadero, Sonoma county to Fort Bragg, passing through Mendocino, Greenwood, Pt. Arena and Gualala. Through tickets at reduced rates may be bought at Ukiah for any point between Greenwood and Fort Bragg inclusive. The drivers are accommodating and the stages and horses as good as the best.

Prizes for the Masquerade.

Following are the list of prizes to be awarded at the Firemen's masquerade on New Year's Eve: Best sustained character, lady, toilet and manicure set; best sustained character, gent, shaving set; most original costume, lady, hanging lamp; most original costume, gent, silver trimmed, silk lined collar and cuff box; best group of three or more, $10 cash.

Teeth without plates. Case, dentist, Marks building.

J. S. Kimball, the mill man, is in Ukiah this week.

W. H. Chassall, his wife and children are all on the sick list.

Miss Lillie Eaton, we are sorry to state, is seriously ill again.

J. H. Hodghead, wife, and son came over from the coast last week.

Jas. Johnson, Tax-Collector, has moved to his ranch south of town.

Always get your upholstering and other repairing done at Lewis Bros,

L. Bither, of Mendocino City, was in Ukiah the fore part of the week.

Christmas is coming, and TEMPLETON is prepared for it with the freshest and most complete line of groceries in Ukiah.

The prizes for the New Year's masquerade are on exhibition at Cunningham & Son's furniture store in the McGlashan building.

The largest and most comlete stock of fancy and plain crackers, fresh from the American Biscuit Co., ever brought to Ukiah, at TEMPLETON'S.

Preaching in the Presbyterian Church Sunday, by the pastor, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Morning subject, "The Word Made Flesh;" evening, "Christmas."

How Yeun, a clever mongol, and for several years in the laundry business in Ukiah, left for China last Tuesday. He expects to take unto himself a wife and bring her to America with him.

The Petaluma *Courier* is now issuing a daily. It is a neatly printed paper and seems to be well patronized from the amount of advertising it contains.

One dozen fine photos, on cabinet card, for 50 cents, by Carpenter. All other work 50 cents on the dozen cheaper than any other gallery in the county.

Edwards Bros. are now well established in their new quarters on Standley Street. Everything in their line kept and best quality furnished as before.

Superior Court has been in session this week. The cases of Eri Huggins vs. Ft. Bragg Redwood Company and Wm. Eadie vs. Noyo Lumber Compnay, are being tried.

Preaching as the Baptist Church Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Morning subject, "Admiration or Redemption, which?" Evening, "A New Home." Society of Christian Endeavor meets at 6 P. M. Come, and welcome.

O. H. P. Brown, who has been suffering from blood-poisoning for the past two weeks, was taken out to Orr's Hot Springs last Saturday, where it is hoped the hot baths will give him relief.

Wm. Ackerman, who has been "handling the ribbon" on the stage line between here and Mendocino City for the past two years, has resigned his position. Jack Rider is his successor.

S. S. Dibel has about fifty olive trees planted on his ranch, about five miles from Ukiah, which are growing nicely. They were slips, only a few inches long, when planted some three years ago, and now some of them are over four feet high.

Less than a dozen of the prettiest dolls were left unsold from the Dolls' Fete. These have been marked very low, and placed at Mrs. Cranz's Millinery store. Anyone wishing pretty and cheap Xmas presents, be sure to call and examine them.

A Christmas tree will be given by the Y. P. S. C. E. at the Christian Church, Christmas eve, for the Sunday school. A program, consisting of solos, duets, recitations, and addresses, will be presented. A present for each scholar will be given. All friends are invited.

The steamer Noyo and the schooner Alice Kimball collided off Point Arena last week. The bowsprit, jibboom, and mainmast head of the Alice Kimball were carried away, and other damage done. The Noyo received little damage and towed the disabled schooner to San Francisco.

The Kelseyville New Era, says the Lakeport *Democrat*, suspended publication last week after an existence of about three years. The Era was a good newsy little paper and it is to be regretted that the people of Kelseyville could not see it to their advantage to give it a more liberal support.

CITY AND COUNTY.

Fresh lard at Smith & Gibson.

San Hedrin has put on her winter overcoat—snow.

Albert Switzer of Westport, was in Ukiah this week.

WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS—Choice Wines and Liquors.

Eversole has the best assortment of fancy chairs in town.

There are four prisoners confined in the county jail at present.

Jas. Connor, the livery man, went down to the bay city Tuesday.

The Ukiah Silver Band had a practice meeting Tuesday evening.

W. P. Plummer and wife of Noyo passed through Ukiah this week.

A. Newfield, a Point Arena merchant, was in Ukiah the first of the week.

H, T. Hatch, the popular mill man of Sherwood, was in town this week.

The Ukiah public school closes today (Friday) for the holiday vacation.

J. H. Hubbard and wife of Yorkville paid a visit to the county seat this week.

J. Buckingham and wife went down to San Francisco last Friday, returning Sunday.

Most every one in town has a bad cold or the "grip;" even editors are afflicted.

David Frost of Willits shipped 105 dressed turkeys to the San Francisco market Tuesday.

Ed De Camp of Willits passed through town Sunday on his way to San Francisco.

After Monday, Dec. 28, city taxes will be delinquent, About $800 have been paid in so far.

Hubert Fine came up on Wednesday's train from San Francisco, where he has been attending school,

For Cod—Not for cod, cod fish, or cod liver oil, but for Cape Cod Cranberries go to TEMPLETON'S.

The freight was about four hours late Tuesday evening. It did not reach Ukiah until 9 o'clock.

Mrs. May Pierce and sister, Miss Annie Hopkins, left yesterday for St. Helena, the home of the former.

On account of prevalent colds and influenza the public schools of Petaluma were ordered closed on Tuesday.

A. N. McPeak now occupies his fine residence in the Western addition, recently occupied by J. R. Johnson.

Hon. T. B. Bond of Lakeport, formerly Superior Judge of Mendocino county, paid Ukiah a visit this week.

By having a big trade we are prepared to fill any kind of an order with the very freshest of goods. Porterfield & Stitt.

Miss Sophia Sullivan left on to-day's train for San Francisco, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Ben Day.

There will be a Sunday school consert at the M. E. Church, South, next Sunday evening. Admission free. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Morrison have returned to Ukiah. They have been residing in Healdsburg for several months past.

Remember the dinner to be given at Gibson's brick building south of the Post Office, on next Wednesday, the 23rd, at 12 o'clock.

H. A. Weller, Eri Huggins, H. Huestin, C. Stewart, J. O. Davenport, and C. D. Bubeck, all of Ft. Bragg, were registered at the Curtis House Tuesday.

Miss Cassie Williams, a prominent teacher and Sunday School worker from School Creek, was in town purchasing presents for the Glen Eden Sunday School.

It is difficult to change the Metric System to the U. S. measure, but an easy matter to change your coin into groceries at TEMPLETON'S and get value received every time.

A ball will be given at Gualala on New Year's eve. George Skaggs, the proprietor of the Gualala hotel, has the matter in charge, and he guarantees a good time to all who attend.

M. Zeigraff and J. H. Still have leased the brewery of S. Wurtenburg and expect to have it running in the course of a month or six weeks. This brewery has not been in operation for several years past.

The Bradford quicksilver mine in Lake county was sold to a San Francisco syndicate recently. The price paid was between $600,000 and $800,000. D. O. Mills, the millionaire, is the leading man of the new company.

We are sorry to state that Mrs. Budd, an estimable lady and for many years a successful teacher in the public schools of this county, is quite sick at her residence on State street. Hopes are entertained, however, for her recovery.

J. L. Allen, agent for Mendocino and Sonoma counties for the white bronze monuments, is in Ukiah. These monuments are rapidly coming into favor, and are taking the place of granite and marble for monumental work, being cheaper, more durable, and more artistic.

The Pt. Arena *Record* says that after an extended European visit the Fourth of July Committee have returned and made their report. Having a surplus of $15.90, they presented the same to the Pt. Arena fire company. Good for the committee.

One trial of Kipg's Royal Germetuer will convince you that it has no equal in the whole range of Materia Medica; it has cured thousands of obstinate cases after every thing else has failed. If you are suffering from any chronic ailment give this remedy a trial and you will be more than satisfied with the result.

A very unfortunate fire, says a correspondent from Greenwood to the *Point Arena Record*, occurred at the South Fork Camp on Elk Creek last Sunday Morning. The boys were all in town getting their cheeks, leaving the camp deserted. When they returned in the evening they found the cabins and belongings of eleven men in ashes. The total loss was about $600. No insurance. Cause of fire unknown.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

CITY AND COUNTY.

Sam Haines and wife are sick with la grippe.

Mr. John Todd is quite sick at his home in Ukiah.

Will Wadsworth of San Francisco is home on a visit.

Use "Lily White" Flour and have a peaceable household.

F. Neipp has moved into the Dixon house on Perkins street.

Get your barley softened and rolled at City Mills. No dust.

Gold crown and bridge work. Case, dentist. Marks' building.

Fine large portrait given away at E. S. Ames Palace Shoe Store.

Geo. and Fred Upp and W. Smith of Willits were in Ukiah this week.

When in town take a look at E. S. Ames Palace Shoe Store windows.

Point Arena has a Normal School, with R. Y. Glidden and wife as teachers.

A fine flower garden is being laid out in front of the Catholic Church parsonage.

Mrs. W. E. King is in Ukiah on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gardner.

M. Slandish of Albion passed through Ukiah this week on his way to San Francisco,

A splendid opportunity. A ¾ life size Portrait free at E. S. Ames Palace Shoe Store.

The rain has stopped work on the Hall of Records. The walls are about half way up.

Some much needed grading has been done on School street near Marks' Opera House.

Smith & Gibson have a fine pyramid of home-made lard displayed in their front windows.

A fire, causing the loss of about $5,000 worth of property, occured at Rhonerville last week.

Jas. Brilt, owner of the Albion mill property, was registered at the Curtis House Tuesday.

All kinds of furniture, upholstery, carpets, etc. at Cunninghom & Son's, at bed rock prices.

Tom Fine of Ukiah Valley will plant ten acres to prunes this winter, using dormant buds on peach root.

Initiation at Ukiah Lodge No. 174. I. O. O. F., next Friday evening. A full attendance is requested.

The tug-of-war craze has not struck Ukiah yet, although farther north, at Eureka, it has made its appearance.

Jas. Wintzer and P. O'Donnell, of Fort Bragg, were registered at the Grand Monday, also C. B. Zalsig of Cleone.

Buy your boots and shoes of E. S. Ames and get a ¾ life size portrait of yourself, framed, ready to hang on the wall—free.

C. Hofman's Cheap Cash Store is a perfect mart of merchandise of all kinds. No such a stock has ever before been seen in town.

Carpenter's large skylight enables him to do as good work in rainy weather as any other. Now is the time to get your holiday photos.

If you are about to furnish your house, be true to your own interest, and examine Cunningham & Son's stock of eastern goods before you buy.

There is talk of building an electric railway between Petaluma and Santa Rosa. Most of the business men of each place favor the proposition.

It is said that by planting the seed of the chrysanthemum a different variety will be produced. Let some of our lady readers try the experiment.

There must have been something unusual going on in Ukiah this week. Nearly every mill-owner on the coast paid their respects to the county seat.

In selecting holiday goods, most people prefer the best. For real fine selections in albums, manicures, christmas cards, perfumery, etc., you are referred to the City Pharmacy.

The closing out sale of L. B. Gardner is genuine, notwithstanding the statements of competitors to the contrary. Everything, including safe and fixtures, will be closed out by the first of the year.

Tie making seems to be looking up again on the coast. Several large contracts have recently been let. This will make times better for our coast people, and make money more plenty ful.

Charley Brown, better known as "Squealing Charley," languishes in the city jail. He was taken before Justice Sullivan Tuesday morning on the charge of being "drunk." Who'd a thought Chawley would get drunk? He was sentenced to seven days in the cooler.

Marion Hoss, a young lad living south of town, met with quite a painful accident last Tuesday while scuffling with another boy, by having his right arm thrown out of place at the elbow. He came to town and had an M. D. attend the injured member, and vows he will scuffle no more.

The Health officers of Hollister report over 400 cases of la grippe in the town and immediate vicinity. There are a number of cases of la grippe in Ukiah. The changeable weather we have had for the past few weeks has caused much of this sickness.

The 14th annual masquerade of Eagle Fire Co., which takes place New Year's eve, promises to be a grand success. The reserved seat proposition seems to meet with general approval, and affords those who cannot leave their business early an opportunity to see "the sights." Buy your ticket early, or you'll get left.

The tempting bargains in jewelry, watches, and optical goods offered at L. B. Gardner's closing out sale are certainly appreciated, as will be seen by the crowds of purchasers who throng his store. His stock is selling rapidly and if you want to avail yourself of the opportunity offered you, you must come early. tf.

"Here in Point Arena we can beat the tall man mentioned by the PRESS. One of our citizens stands 6 feet 7 inches in his stockings. What's his name? My good friend, he is large in proportion to his height and we don't propose to get Mac. in a mood to call and "measure" us."—*Record.* We won't acknowledge the "corn" yet, brother Glidden. We didn't say anything about stockings. We don't know whether "our tall man" wears 'em or not.

PALACE SHOE STORE

SAMPLE PICTURE.

FREE! FREE!

KNOWING the very general desire among our customers for good family portraits, we take pleasure in announcing to them as well as to the public at large, that we have made arrangements with one of the largest and best known Portrait Copying Houses in this Country to copy for us 500 or more Photos, which we are to send them. These Photos are to be enlarged and finished in Crayon and India Ink 1 3-4 life size, framed and ready to hang upon the wall, of the same size and quality as have been sold for years at $10 each, and we propose to make a present of one of these elegant Portraits to each of our Cash Customers. The price of our goods will remain JUST AS LOW AS HERETOFORE, but we trust that this unexampled offer on our part will greatly stimulate cash trade and induce ALL TO BUY FOR CASH as well as to prove to the public generally that it is not only our aim to sell

GOODS CLOSELY FOR CASH

but to please our customers in other ways and to occasionally deal with them with extra liberality in repayment for their custom which they have so generously showered upon us in the past, and which we have no doubt they will continue to give us in the future.

Respectfully,

E. S. AMES.
Palace Shoe Store.

CITY AND COUNTY.

Fat hogs wanted at Smith & Gibson.

Established 1878—WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS.

Chas. Hurt of Round Valley was down this week.

New raisins, currants, figs, and citron at TEMPLETON'S.

A. O'Dell of Covelo is in town stopping at the Grand.

WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS, south side of Court House.

Have you guessed on the beans yet? If not go to Eversole's.

Editor Mathews is quite sick this week. Grip has got its work in.

Those who use "Lily White" Flour have the best bread on their table.

King's Royal Germetuer is the only remedy for catarrh that never fails.

Rev. J. B. Haston returned from a trip to San Francisco Wednesday.

At the City Pharmacy, you will find a selected stock of sponges and chamois,

N. Wagenseler is building a large addition to one of his houses on Clara street.

A trial is all that is necessary to convince one that "Lily White" Flour is the best.

T. A. Asbridge will run a 'bus on the night of the masquerade ball (New Years).

Christmas services in the M. E. Church next Sunday morning and evening.

Regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. Friday, at 3 P. M., in the St. John's M. E. Church.

Chas. Walker, the popular tailor, brought up a tailor from San Francisco on Tuesday.

Have you seen the Elegant Sample Premium Offer in the Palace Shoe Store window?

General John T. Carey, U. S. Dist. Attorney, has been in attendance on court this week.

For all kinds of jobbing and furniture for house or office have it made to order at Lewis Bros.

The latest report faom W. R. Melendy, who is sick at his home is Covelo, is that he is somewhat better.

D. Price has been appointed post master at Field's Landing, Humboldt county, vice O. Swanson, removed.

Leonard Noble and Miss Rena McCready, both formerly of Ukiah, were married in Oakland one day last week.

The Marshal of Petaluma has collected every cent of the taxes due that city. This has been the case for three successive years.

Free! Free! Free! Secure a ticket at E. S. Ames Palace Shoe Store and get a ¾ life size Portrait in crayon and India ink, elegantly framed.

L. B. Tuttle came down from Round Valley on Tuesday with a fine band of mutton sheep, which will be shipped to San Francisco butchers.

Every variety of dyspepsia or indigestion can be thoroughly cured by using Dr. Kings Royal Germetuer. Sold by all druggists $1.00 per bottle.

King's Royal Germetuer is not a mere palliative or stimulant but it effects a permanent cure by removing the cause. Sold by all druggists $1.00 a bottle.

State Superintendent Garrett is having some good work done in draining on the Asylum property. The upper swamp is being cleared and drained. Mr. Garrett is also putting his yard at the residence in fine trim. He is an enthusiastic amateur gardener.

John Beasley, a Sonoma county rancher, while in San Francisco last week swallowed his false teeth, and the Pelaluma *Argus* in commenting on the same says: "John can now get another set, and, what with one set in his mouth and another in his stomach, he ought to be able to masticate and digest a Sonoma beefsteak without complaining of dyspepsia."

Rain brought the plowing season, and speaking about plows, the Solid Comfort Sulky Plow, now on sale at Bruner's, is certainly the most successful departure from what hitherto was called sulky or riding plows and were known for their unhandiness and heavy draft. The above plow is found as handy and easy running as the best hand plow working in as close quarters and doing better work in any soil, level or rough. They are sold under a gurantee to be and do what is claimed for them, and shares to wear longer than on hand plows.

CITY AND COUNTY.

WHELAN'S SAMPLE ROOMS, south side Court House.

Mrs. J. S. Reed of Laytonville was in Ukiah this week.

Buy a fancy rocker for your wife's Christmas gift, at Eversole's.

Ed. Gielsdorf went to San Francisco last Tuesday on business and will return Saturday.

King's Royal Germetuer is as pleasant to take as lemonade and cures when all else fails.

Mrs. T. A. Asbridge left this week on a canvassing tour. She will be absent some little time.

King's Royal Germetuer is an honest medicine for the people. Sold by all druggists $1 per bottle.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will give one of the finest Christmas trees that has ever been given in this place.

Usual services at the Christian Church. Rev. J. B. Haston will preach in the morning on "The Greatest Thing in the World."

The Hesperian Club gave a reception for the ladies at their rooms in the McGlashan building last evening. A good time is reported.

News was received in Ukiah last week of the death of Mrs. D. G. Compton, who lives north of Potter. We have been unable to learn particulars.

Miss Fannie Rushing, who has been working in the office of Rice & Baltzell for the past year, leaves next Monday to spend the holidays with her parents on the coast.

Ed McAbee and family came up on the train Wednesday. They have been travelling in the Eastern states for several months past. Mrs. McAbee is a daughter of J. H. Donohoe of Ukiah.

Mrs. T. A. Asbridge started out this week on a canvassing tour for the Mme. McCabe Sanative Corset and is having good success. Anyone wishing this corset can leave orders at Mrs. Cranz's Millinery store, Ukiah.

Now that the season of cold and rain is close upon us it is well to bear the fact in mind that you can cure any case of cold or ia grippe in 12 hours if you take King's Royal Germetuer at the start. A bottle of this remedy should be kept in every home.

Look out for horse-theives as two horses have mysteriously disappeared from a pasture near Greenwood; one belonging to F. O'Brien and the other to A. R. Adams. I understand that others have disappeared from a ranch on Alder Creek.—*Pt. Arena Record.*

Van Arnem, the manager of the Peoples' Line, says the *Pt. Arena Record*, was president Harrison's driver when he was visiting the coast last spring. The President knows a good reinsman when he sees him and as a slight testimonial of his regard for Van gave him a $50 whip.

The London *Tid-Bits* offered a two-guinea prize for the best definition of a kiss, and out of the seven thousand answers received the prize was awarded to the following: "An insipid and tasteless morsel, which becomes delicious and delectable in proportion as it is flavored with love."

The Fresno petrified man, which was on exhibition here a few months ago, has been attached at Needles for a debt of $41. The Healdsburg *Enterprise* in speaking of the same says: "We hope the fashion of attaching dead men who are not petrified will come into general use, or else that many dead men, who are bad debtors, will become petrified."

A son of J. M. Stallings of Vienna, La., President of State Farmers' Union in 1888, was cured of chronic catarrh and severe cough. Mrs. J. M. Stallings was cured in six weeks of catarrh and neuralgia of sixteen years standing. King's Royal Germetuer was the only medicine used; this great remedy is sold by all druggists. Send for circular containing full information. Royal Germetuer Co. 12 "B" Polk St. San Francisco, Cal.

Ten Thousand Turkeys Wanted!

We need ten thousand Dressed Turkeys to fill Thanksgiving and Christmas orders. Consignments of Dressed Poultry are particularly solicited. We have special facilities for disposing of large quantities. Highest prices obtained, returns prompt, cash payments. With twenty-two years' experience, we are prepared to gunrantee satisfaction. Write us for particulars, tags and shipping directions. Robert Haight & Co. Commission Merchants and Wholesale Dealers in Farm and Dairy Produce, Front street, San Francisco.

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Distinguished Dr. Bach

And his assistants of the Metropolitan Dispensary of San Francisco will visit

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And can be consulted free of charge at the Grand Hotel,

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Is your Memory Failing or your Mental Powers Weakening? If so you know the Cause. Go and get Cured and be a Man.

Read this testimonial from a well known business man of Sacramento.

Metropolitan Dispensary—GENTLEMEN—I had not been under your treatment three days before I felt a decided improvement, and in two weeks began to feel like myself again. Am now entirely cured; in fact, feel like a man in every sense of the word. I cannot recommend your instruction and treatment too highly.
N. T. TURNMORE.

This gentleman had suffered for years from nervous debility caused by youthful errors and excesses to such an extent that his mind was affected, being unable to concentrate it upon business matters.

LADIES, if you suffer from any trouble peculiar to your sex you should not fail to consult these famous physicians and get relief before you are beyond human aid. Our Gynecologist has had 40 years experience, and can cure when all others fail.

THE MAIL DEPARTMENT is devoted exclusively to patients who are unable to visit us. Write for blanks, advice and instructions. A full diagnosis either by mail or personally is absolutely free.

Remember our physicians will be in Ukiah on December 18th, 19th and 20th at the Grand Hotel.

Address all letters plainly to the

METROPOLITAN DISPENSARY,
125 O'Farrell St., San Francisco.

Send 10 cents for "Marriage Rights," a book every man and woman should have. Mention this paper.

NOTICE!

All money for Licenses is now due. This is the last call. Only notice from me. If not paid suit will be commenced at once.

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THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

CONGRESS WILL NOT DO MUCH UNTIL AFTER THE HOLIDAYS.

The Republican Caucus Selects Its Committee Members---General News of the Departments, Congress, Reports and Other Items.

So far as actual legislative business is concerned in congress no feature of interest has come up. It has come to be generally understood that while the time before a holiday recess in a long session may be employed in perfecting the organizatian of the two branches of congress, little can be attempted with profit in the line of legislation. Many senators and representatives, assuming that the recess will begin before the end of the week, have already made arrangements to leave Washington. The house will not meet until Wednesday, and after a brief session will probably adjourn with an understanding that on the day of reassemblage it will adjourn for the customary Christmas recess. Propositions have been broached that congress adjourn on Friday, Dec. 18, to Monday, Jan. 4.

Congress met Tuesday and adjourned after electing Crisp speaker. On Wednesday the president's annual message was read and referred, after which an adjournment was taken.

IN THE SENATE.

Nothing of importance was done by the senate until Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday the senate broke the record in the way of measuaes introduced in a single day, there having been 612 bills and eight joint resolutions presented. Among the bills were a free coinage and two Chinese exclusion bills, and one providing for a railroad to Alaska.

Among the bills introduced and referred were the following: To repeal all laws discriminating against the circulation of state banks; defining operations in "futures" and imposing taxes thereon; to establish a permanent census office; to prohibit, absolutely, the coming of Chinese to the United States; to amend the Pacific railroad acts; to reimburse several states for interest paid on moneys expended in raising troops; for the uniform classification of wheat, oats, rye, etc.

Other News.

The National Bar association held a session here. James C. Carter of New York was chosen president.

Senator Dolph of Oregon has introduced a bill for the stablishment of a gun foundry "somewhere on the Pacific Coast."

Attorney General Miller has determined to test the right of railways to issue free passes. He will shortly bring a suit against one New England road as a test case.

Acting Secretary Spaulding has instructed the collectors of customs at Buffalo, Ogdensburg, Suspension bridge and Plattsburg, N. Y., to photograph Chinamen arrested for unlawful entry. It is expected in this way to establish positive identification.

The Republican senatorial caucus committee, which is charged with the arrangement of the Republican representation upon the senate committees, has completed its work. The assignments are said to be generally satisfactory.

The acting secretary of war has made a decision that the period of forty years' service required by the act of congress approved June 30, 1882, to entitle an army officer to retirement on his own application, includes the period of service as a cadet at West Point.

Senator Paddock of Nebraska has the distinction of having introduced the first bill in this congress. It provides for the organization of a section in the department of agriculture to be known as the food section of the chemical division. The duties shall be to prevent the adulteration and misbranding of food, drugs, etc.

The house foreign affairs committee will consider the harsh treatment of Hebrews by Russia, and the committee will be urged to go as far as possible in expressing sympathy with the Russian Hebrews in distress, and to take such measures consonant with the usages of diplomacy as will tend to secure the amelioration of their condition.

Congressman Geary will present a bill for the complete exclusion of Chinese from the United States. In this bill he will favor no class; will provide a system of identification and certification that will prevent fraud; will suspend the habeas corpus and establish a system by which Chinese will be prevented from crossing the boundaries of the United States by land.

The treasury department has transmitted to the Western Sugar Refinery at Watsonville, Cal., the sum of $58,000, the first installment on the sugar bounty. The claims of this refinery for the season will amount to $85,000, with a total of $200,000 for the California state refineries, which are located at Alvarado, Watsonville and Chino.

The report of the department of agriculture at Washington gives the condition of growing wheat as 85.3. The returns showing the condition of the coming crops of winter grains are not generally favorable. On the Atlantic Coast some injury is reported on the early sown acres from the Hessian fly. The season is not favorable for seeding in the South on account of the continued dry weather, and the germination is slow from the same cause. Rains in the late autumn have improved the prospect. In the Western states seeding is late, the seed bed hard and cloddy, and germination is slow. The growth was unfavorable until November, when a material improvement was seen in most of the fields. In some districts the Hessian fly made its appearance, causing damage. The crop is 85.3, the average is 97. The condition of rye is a little higher than that of wheat, making an average of 88.3.

At Vicksburg, Miss, the wife and infant child of Albert Coman, colored, were victims of a diabolical outrage. She and the child were asleep, when some unknown person entered and poured molten lead in her ear and spattered a quantity on the child. The woman's ear was burned out and she will die. The child is terribly burned, but may recover.

Edward M. Field, son of Cyrus W. Field and partner in the bankrupt firm of Field, Lindley, Weichers & Co., has been arrested at New York on an indictment charging him with grand larceny in the first degree. Field was taken from the private asylum in which he has been confined since the collapse of the firm. From the orders given by the district attorney he does not place absolute credence in the belief that Field is so insane as to be irresponsible for his [illegible]

[illegible] counties in Illinois—Douglas, [illegible] Coles and Edgar—supply a [illegible] of the world's stock of [illegible] 1,000 tons.

COAST NEWS.

A BRIEF RESUME OF THE CURRENT EVENTS OF INTEREST.

A Destructive Storm Visits Southern California---The First Boiler Explosion in the History of Los Angeles. A Heavy Salvage Claim Against a Whaleback Vessel.

Sam H. Moll of San Diego was fined $500 for sending lottery circulars through the mail.

A statement by Controller Colgan shows the total amount in the state treasury on Nov. 30 was $2,162,539.70.

A run was made on the Sacramento Savings bank the other day. It was caused by a rumor that the bank was shaky.

The Tacoma chamber of commerce is making a vigorous protest against freight discrimination in favor of San Francisco and Portland.

The schooner Borealis, Captain Hansen, which left Victoria, B. C., several weeks ago on an experimental sealing trip to to Okhotsk sea, has returned after a stormy trip, with 400 skins.

In the case of Grace G. Isaacs vs. the Southern Pacific company at Portland, to recover $31,000 damages for injuries sustained in the Lake Labish disaster Nov. 12, 1890. the jury brought in a verdict awarding the plaintiff $11,000.

Professor Hamilton, a student and exponent of mesmerism, at Victoria, B. C., took part in a surgical operation performed by Dr. Ernest Hall, who removed a portion of the subject's jaw while he was under hypnotic influence.

CASUALTIES.

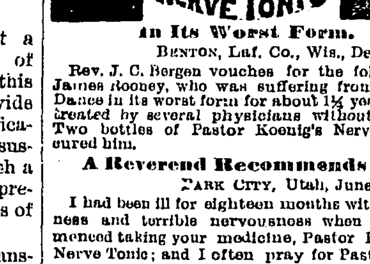
Two hundred and fifty people were rendered homeless by a tenement house fire at New York.

J. W. Smith, a miner was instantly killed at Jackson, Cal. He was repairing the shaft when a piece of track timber twenty feet long and weighing over 200 pounds got away from the men thirty feet above, striking Smith on the head and knocking him into the shaft. He fell 5000 feet. The body was frightfully mangled.

Christian Williams and Ed Hartness, both aged 16, went shooting near Sacramento. In getting out of their boat Williams pulled his gun after him and it was discharged, the contents entering his abdomen. His comrade pulled him out of the water and on a steep bank, but could not get him to the top of the bank. He left him there, still conscious, to call aid, and when the parties returned they found that the boy had disappeared in the water. His body was recovered.

Edward Ackt, aged 13, died at Paterson, N. J., from strangulation caused by swallowing half a hickory nutshell. The case is almost identical with that of Dr. Bothwell of Brooklyn, who died from the effects of swallowing a cork. Ackt was playing in the yard with several companions. He was cracking hickory nuts with his teeth when one of the boys made him laugh. As he did so a half which he had in his mouth slipped into his throat. He was taken to the hospital and the shell was located in the left bronchial tube. One of the surgeons went to New York to get one of the instruments used on Dr. Bothwell in the hope of prolonging the boy's life but the lad died before he returned.

Lena Bronson, a school teacher, living with her father and grandfather near Wichita, Kan., got the grip. The grandfather was 90 years old and had practiced medicine in his youth. He tried all his mild remedies on his granddaughter without effect and finally concluded that bleeding was necessary. The girl's father would not permit the experiment but while he was away the old man persuaded her to let him try taking a little blood from her arm. In his feeble hands the knife slipped and severed an artery. The girl tried to stop the flow of blood but without avail, and when the father returned he found his daughter dead and his father in a swoon by her side. The old man has since died from the shock.



In Its Worst Form. I

BENTON, Laf. Co., Wis., Dec., '88.

Rev. J. C. Bergen vouches for the following: James Rooney, who was suffering from Vitus Dance in its worst form for about 1½ years, was treated by several physicians without effect. Two bottles of Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic cured him.

A Reverend Recommends It.

PARK CITY, Utah, June, 1889.

I had been ill for eighteen months with weakness and terrible nervousness when I commenced taking your medicine, Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic; and I often pray for Pastor Koenig, as I think I could not have lived without this medicine. The people here have seen the good which I derived from it, and Rev. Galligan recommends it so highly that it is now getting very popular.

JULIA AGNES BYRNE.

FREE—A Valuable Book on Nervous Diseases sent free to any address, and poor patients can also obtain this medicine free of charge.

This remedy has been prepared by the Reverend Pastor Koenig, of Fort Wayne, Ind., since 1876, and is now prepared under his direction by the

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And in San Francisco, Cal., by R. E. WHITE & CO, 400 Hayes St.

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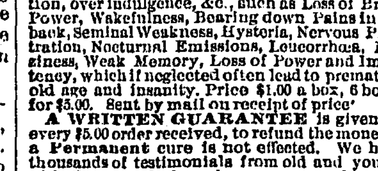

Is SOLD ON A POSITIVE GUARANTEE to cure any form of nervous disease or any disorder of the generative organs of either sex, whether arising from the excessive use of Stimulants, Tobacco or Opium, or through youthful indiscretion, over indulgence, &c., such as Loss of Brain Power, Wakefulness, Bearing down Pains in the back, Seminal Weakness, Hysteria, Nervous Prostration, Nocturnal Emissions, Leucorrhœa, Dizziness, Weak Memory, Loss of Power and Impotency, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price $1.00 a box, 6 boxes for $5.00. Sent by mail on receipt of price.

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Notice to Contractors and Builders.

In the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino State of California.

In the Matter of Bids for the Construction of a Jail and Sheriff's Office.

It is hereby ordered that sealed bids be received by the County Clerk of Mendocino County, State of California, at his office in Ukiah City, California up to

January 4, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M.

for the construction of a Jail and Sheriff's office in accordance with the plans and specifications now on file in the Clerk's office in Mendocino County.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

And it is further ordered that this notice be published in the REPUBLICAN PRESS, a paper printed and published weekly, in the County of Mendocino, successively for sixty days from date hereof.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of Mendocino County, State of California.

HALE McCOWEN
Clerk of said Board,

By W. R. MELENDY, Deputy Clerk.
Oct. 16,—Dec. 18.

Notice of Intention.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE whole of the property assessed for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1889, for State and county taxes to

H. P. LUCAS,

and situated in Mendocino County, State of California, and described thus: S hf of NW qr, N hf of SW qr, Sec 33, Tp 17 N, R 15 W, M D M, has been sold to me, the undersigned, for delinquent taxes, on the 28th day of February, 1890, for Seventeen dollars and Eighty cents, by the Tax Collector of said County, and that I then became the purchaser thereof, and that I am now the owner and holder of a certificate of such sale, and that Twenty-six (26) dollars and Seventy (70) cents is the amount due for the redemption money therefor; and that as such purchaser I shall be entitled to receive from the redemptioner the further sum of Three Dollars for the service of this notice and the making of the affidavit to such service, and also a reasonable amount for the cost of publication, and that on the 23d day of December, 1891, I shall apply to the Tax Collector of said County for a Deed for such property under and by virtue of such tax sale and Certificate of Sale.

Mendocino Co., Cal., Nov. 23, 1891.
nov27 J. A. McGILVARY.

Notice of Intention.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE WHOLE of the property assessed for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1889, for the State and County taxes to

E. P. LUCAS

and situated in Mendocino County, State of California, and described thus: S E qr of N E qr N½ of S E qr S W qr of S E qr Sec 32, Tp 17 N, R 15 W, M D M has been sold to me, the undersigned, for delinquent taxes, on the 28 day of Feb. 1890, for seventeen (17) dollars and eighty (80) cents, by the Tax Collector of said County, and that I then became the purchaser thereof, and that I am now the owner and holder of a certificate of such sale, and that twenty-six (26) dollars and seventy (70) cents is the amount due for the redemption money therefor; and that as such purchaser I shall be entitled to receive from the redemptioner the further sum of three dollars for the service of this notice and the making of the affidavit to such service, and also a reasonable amount for cost of publication, and that on the 23rd day of December 1891, I shall apply to the Tax Collector of said County for a Deed for such property under and by virtue of such tax sale and Certificate of Sale.

Mendocino County, Cal., Nov. 21 1891.
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Notice of Contest.

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., November 24, 1891.

Complaint having been entered at this Office by John T. Ham, against John Schnell for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 10043, dated November 28, 1888, upon the Lots 1 and 2 and N E 1-4 of N W 1-4, Sec 30 and Lot 4, Sec 19, Tp 23 N, R 11 W, in Mendocino Co., State of California with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before C. W. Rohrbough, Notary Public at Covelo, Mendocino Co. on the 8th day of January, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. And it is further ordered that a hearing be had before this Office on the 14th day of January, 1892 to consider the testimony taken.

Dec4 Jan1 JOHN F. SHEEHAN, Register.

Notice of Contest.

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. November 24, 1891.

Complaint having been entered at this Office by John T. Ham, against Joseph Uternahrer for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 10013, dated November 12, 1888, upon the N 1-2 of N E 1-4, S E 1-4 of N E 1-4, and N E 1-4 of S E 1-4, Sec 30, Tp 23 N, R 11 W, in Mendocino Co., State of California with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear before C. W. Rohrbough, Notary Public at Covelo, Mendocino Co. on the 8th day of January, 1892, at 11 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. And it is further ordered that a hearing be had before this Office on the 14th day of January, 1892, to consider the testimony taken.

Dec4 Jan1 JOHN F. SHEEHAM, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO CAL. November 2, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at San Francisco, Cal. on Monday, December 21, 1891, viz:

ANTONIO P. PRATO.

Pre-emption D S 26411 for the N W ¼ of S W½ and E ½ of S W qr and S W qr of N W qr Sec 33 Tp 16 N, R 14 W, M D M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Biagio Ertola, Severino Gionpolini, A Vacaro, A Ertola all of San Francisco, Cal.

nov6 dec11 JOHN F. SHEEHAN, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., November 16, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Mendocino Co., at the county seat, on Saturday January 9, 1892, viz:

MELVIN H. FAIRBANKS.

H. E. 10012, for the Lots 3 and 4 and S E 1-4 of S W 1-4, Sec 31, Tp 15 N, R 11W, M D M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Wm. J. Hildreth, Ham Van Nader, E. B. Shields, John D. Hillman, all of Talmadge, Cal.

Nov20dec25 JOHN F. SHEEHAN, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO. CAL., November 30, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Clerk of Mendocino co, Cal, at the county seat, on Saturday, January 23, 1892, viz:

ANDERS P. ERICKSON

D. S. No. 25694 for the N W qr of N E qr Sec 14 and S hf of S E qr Sec 11 and S W qr of S W qr Sec 12, Tp 22 N, R 10 W, M D M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Ralph A. Claybrook, Jeremiah M. Hulett, William Lhame, Henry C. Simmons all of Covelo Cal.

JOHN F. SHEEHAN, Register.
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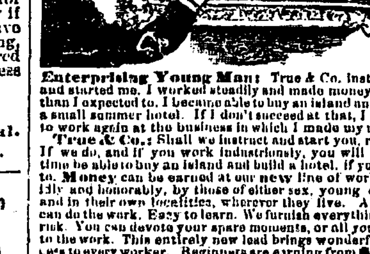

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		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
San Francisco	0	7:40	8:00	2:00
			P. M.	
Cloverdale	84½	11:30	12:00	3:00
Echo*	89	11:42	12:12	3:20
Fountain*	96	12:00	12:30	3:50
		P. M.		
Hopland	99¼	12:10	12:40	4:20
Largo*	103	12:20	12:50	4:45
El Robles°	108¾	12:35	1:05	5:10
Ukiah	113	12:45	1:15	5:30

TOWARD SAN FRANCISCO.

STATIONS.	Dist.	Pas' A	Pas' B	F'ght A
		P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Ukiah	0	1:00	2:05	8:00
El Robles*	4½	1:10	2:15	8:20
Largo°	10	1:25	2:30	8:45
Hopland	13¾	1:36	2:41	9:20
Fountain°	17	1:56	2:51	9:35
Echo°	24	2:14	3:11	10:05
Cloverdale	28½	2:20	3:30	10:25
San Francisco	113	6:05	7:25	9:25

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